NOTICE OF A CITIZENS INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR THE PROPOSED CLOSURE OF SR 1642 (BIGGS STREET), CROSSING #630 925A, CSX RAILROAD MILEPOST #269.07, LAURINBURG

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Scotland County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold the above Citizens Informational Workshop on Monday, April 18, 2011, between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. in the upstairs Town Council room of the Municipal Building located at 303 West Church Street, Laurinburg, 28353

Maps depicting the proposed project will be on display and NCDOT representatives will be available in an informal setting to answer questions and receive comments regarding the proposed project. The opportunity to submit written comments or questions will also be provided. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the above mentioned hours. Please note: there will <u>not</u> be a formal presentation.

NCDOT proposes the closure of the SR 1642 (Biggs Street) and the CSX Railroad at grade crossing #630 925A. The proposed closure of this at-grade highway/rail crossing is part of an effort to reduce the number of redundant and/or unsafe highway/rail at-grade crossings statewide. The Main Street crossing has flashers and gates as a crossing warning device.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact Mr. Brian Gackstetter, Rail Division, Engineering & Safety Branch, 1556 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, 27699-1556, phone (919) 715-2332, or email begackstetter@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Mr. Gackstetter as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.